

pendent care, housing, and needs-related payments, that are necessary to enable an individual to participate in activities authorized under this subchapter, consistent with the provisions of this subchapter.

(8) Unemployed

The term “unemployed”, used with respect to a person or individual, means an individual who is without a job and who wants and is available for work, including an individual who may have occasional employment that does not result in a constant source of income.

(b) Rule

Pursuant to regulations prescribed by the Secretary, an eligible individual shall have priority for the community service employment and other authorized activities provided under this subchapter if the individual—

- (1) is 65 years of age or older; or
- (2)(A) has a disability;
- (B) has limited English proficiency or low literacy skills;
- (C) resides in a rural area;
- (D) is a veteran;
- (E) has low employment prospects;
- (F) has failed to find employment after utilizing services provided under title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2801 et seq.); or
- (G) is homeless or at risk for homelessness.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title V, §518, as added Pub. L. 109-365, title V, §501, Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2588.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Social Security Act, referred to in subsec. (a)(3)(A), (B)(ii)(III), is act Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, 49 Stat. 620. Titles II and XVI of the Act are classified generally to subchapters II (§401 et seq.) and XVI (§1381 et seq.), respectively, of chapter 7 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see section 1305 of this title and Tables.

The Workforce Investment Act of 1998, referred to in (b)(2)(F), is Pub. L. 105-220, Aug. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 936. Title I of the Act is classified principally to chapter 30 (§2801 et seq.) of Title 29, Labor. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 9201 of Title 20, Education, and Tables.

SUBCHAPTER X—GRANTS FOR NATIVE AMERICANS

§ 3057. Statement of purpose

It is the purpose of this subchapter to promote the delivery of supportive services, including nutrition services to American Indians, Alaskan Natives, and Native Hawaiians that are comparable to services provided under subchapter III of this chapter.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §601, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 959.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §601, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1548; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §3(d), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1597, related to statement of purpose for grants to Indian tribes, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175.

A prior section 601 of Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, as added Pub. L. 91-69, §9, Sept. 17, 1969, 83 Stat. 111; amended

Pub. L. 93-29, title VI, §601, May 3, 1973, 87 Stat. 55, related to grants and contracts for volunteer service projects and was classified to section 3044 of this title, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 93-113, title VI, §604(a), Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 417.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Subchapter effective Oct. 1, 1987, except not applicable with respect to any area plan submitted under section 3026(a) of this title or any State plan submitted under section 3027(a) of this title and approved for any fiscal year beginning before Nov. 29, 1987, see section 701(a), (b) of Pub. L. 100-175, set out as an Effective Date of 1987 Amendment note under section 3001 of this title.

§ 3057a. Sense of Congress

It is the sense of the Congress that older individuals who are Indians, older individuals who are Alaskan Natives, and older individuals who are Native Hawaiians are a vital resource entitled to all benefits and services available and that such services and benefits should be provided in a manner that preserves and restores their respective dignity, self-respect, and cultural identities.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §602, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 959; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title IX, §904(a)(20), Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1309.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057a, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §602, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1549; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §3(d), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1597; Pub. L. 98-459, title VI, §601, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1787, related to eligibility of an Indian tribe for assistance and definitions, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057c of this title.

AMENDMENTS

1992—Pub. L. 102-375 substituted “older individuals who are Indians, older individuals who are Alaskan Natives, and older individuals who are Native Hawaiians” for “older Indians, older Alaskan Natives, and older Native Hawaiians”.

PART A—INDIAN PROGRAM

§ 3057b. Findings

(a)¹ The Congress finds that the older individuals who are Indians of the United States—

- (1) are a rapidly increasing population;
- (2) suffer from high unemployment;
- (3) live in poverty at a rate estimated to be as high as 61 percent;
- (4) have a life expectancy between 3 and 4 years less than the general population;
- (5) lack sufficient nursing homes, other long-term care facilities, and other health care facilities;
- (6) lack sufficient Indian area agencies on aging;
- (7) frequently live in substandard and overcrowded housing;
- (8) receive less than adequate health care;
- (9) are served under this subchapter at a rate of less than 19 percent of the total national population of older individuals who are Indians living on Indian reservations; and

¹ So in original. No subsec. (b) has been enacted.

(10) are served under subchapter III of this chapter at a rate of less than 1 percent of the total participants under that subchapter.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §611, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 959; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title IX, §904(a)(21), Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1309.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057b, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §603, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1549; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §§3(d), 13(a), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1597, 1608, related to authority of Commissioner to make grants to pay all costs for delivery of supportive services and nutritional services for older Indians, prior to the general revision of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057d of this title.

A prior section 603 of Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, as added Pub. L. 91-69, §9, Sept. 17, 1969, 83 Stat. 112; amended Pub. L. 93-29, title VI, §602, May 3, 1973, 87 Stat. 55, related to authorization of appropriations and was classified to section 3044a of this title, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 93-113, title VI, §604(a), Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 417.

AMENDMENTS

1992—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(21)(A), inserted “individuals who are” after “older” in introductory provisions.

Subsec. (a)(9). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(21)(B), substituted “population of older individuals who are Indians” for “Indian elderly population”.

TASK FORCE

Section 134(d) of Pub. L. 100-175 provided that:

“(1) The Commissioner on Aging [now Assistant Secretary for Aging] shall establish a permanent inter-agency task force that is representative of departments and agencies of the Federal Government with an interest in older Indians and their welfare, and is designed to make recommendations with respect to facilitating the coordination of services and the improvement of services to older Indians.

“(2) The task force shall be chaired by the Associate Commissioner on [now Director of the Office for] American Indian, Alaskan Native, and Native Hawaiian Aging and shall submit its findings and recommendations to the Commissioner at 6-month intervals beginning after the date of the enactment of this Act [Nov. 29, 1987]. Such findings and recommendations shall be included in the annual report required by section 207(a) of the Older Americans Act of 1965 [42 U.S.C. 3018(a)] to be submitted by the Commissioner.”

SPECIAL REPORT ON SERVICES FOR OLDER INDIANS

Section 134(e) of Pub. L. 100-175 directed Commissioner on Aging to enter into a contract with a public agency or nonprofit private organization to conduct a thorough study of availability and quality of services under the Older Americans Act of 1965, 42 U.S.C. 3001 et seq., to older Indians and, not later than Dec. 31, 1988, submit to Congress a report and recommendations based on the study.

§ 3057c. Eligibility

(a) Criteria

A tribal organization of an Indian tribe is eligible for assistance under this part only if—

- (1) the tribal organization represents at least 50 individuals who are 60 years of age or older; and
- (2) the tribal organization demonstrates the ability to deliver supportive services, including nutritional services.

(b) Limitation

An Indian tribe represented by an organization specified in subsection (a) of this section shall

be eligible for only one grant under this part for any fiscal year. Nothing in this subsection shall preclude an Indian tribe represented by an organization specified in subsection (a) of this section from receiving a grant under section 3057k-11 of this title.

(c) “Indian tribe” and “tribal organization” defined

For the purposes of this part the terms “Indian tribe” and “tribal organization” have the same meaning as in section 450b of title 25.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §612, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 959; amended Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, §601, Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2287.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057c, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §604, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1549; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §13(b), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1608; Pub. L. 98-459, title VI, §602, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1788, related to applications for assistance, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057e of this title.

AMENDMENTS

2000—Subsecs. (b), (c). Pub. L. 106-501 added subsec. (b) and redesignated former subsec. (b) as (c).

§ 3057d. Grants authorized

The Assistant Secretary may make grants to eligible tribal organizations to pay all of the costs for delivery of supportive services and nutrition services for older individuals who are Indians.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §613, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 960; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title IX, §904(a)(22), Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1309; Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057d, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §605, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1551; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §13(c), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1608, provided that in establishing administrative regulations the Commissioner consult with the Secretary of the Interior, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057f of this title.

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

1992—Pub. L. 102-375 inserted “individuals who are” after “older”.

§ 3057e. Applications

(a) Approval criteria; provisions and assurances

No grant may be made under this part unless the eligible tribal organization submits an application to the Assistant Secretary which meets such criteria as the Assistant Secretary may by regulation prescribe. Each such application shall—

- (1) provide that the eligible tribal organization will evaluate the need for supportive and nutrition services among older individuals who are Indians to be represented by the tribal organization;
- (2) provide for the use of such methods of administration as are necessary for the proper

and efficient administration of the program to be assisted;

(3) provide that the tribal organization will make such reports in such form and containing such information, as the Assistant Secretary may reasonably require, and comply with such requirements as the Assistant Secretary may impose to assure the correctness of such reports;

(4) provide for periodic evaluation of activities and projects carried out under the application;

(5) establish objectives consistent with the purposes of this part toward which activities under the application will be directed, identify obstacles to the attainment of such objectives, and indicate the manner in which the tribal organization proposes to overcome such obstacles;

(6) provide for establishing and maintaining information and assistance services to assure that older individuals who are Indians to be served by the assistance made available under this part will have reasonably convenient access to such services;

(7) provide a preference for older individuals who are Indians for full or part-time staff positions wherever feasible;

(8) provide assurances that either directly or by way of grant or contract with appropriate entities nutrition services will be delivered to older individuals who are Indians represented by the tribal organization substantially in compliance with the provisions of part C of subchapter III of this chapter, except that in any case in which the need for nutritional services for older individuals who are Indians represented by the tribal organization is already met from other sources, the tribal organization may use the funds otherwise required to be expended under this paragraph for supportive services;

(9) provide that any legal or ombudsman services made available to older individuals who are Indians represented by the tribal organization will be substantially in compliance with the provisions of subchapter III of this chapter relating to the furnishing of similar services;

(10) provide satisfactory assurance that fiscal control and fund accounting procedures will be adopted as may be necessary to assure proper disbursement of, and accounting for, Federal funds paid under this part to the tribal organization, including any funds paid by the tribal organization to a recipient of a grant or contract; and

(11) contain assurances that the tribal organization will coordinate services provided under this part with services provided under subchapter III of this chapter in the same geographical area.

(b) Population statistics development

For the purpose of any application submitted under this part, the tribal organization may develop its own population statistics, with approval from the Bureau of Indian Affairs, in order to establish eligibility.

(c) Approval by Assistant Secretary

(1) The Assistant Secretary shall approve any application which complies with the provisions of subsection (a) of this section.

(2) The Assistant Secretary shall provide waivers and exemptions of the reporting requirements of subsection (a)(3) of this section for applicants that serve Indian populations in geographically isolated areas, or applicants that serve small Indian populations, where the small scale of the project, the nature of the applicant, or other factors make the reporting requirements unreasonable under the circumstances. The Assistant Secretary shall consult with such applicants in establishing appropriate waivers and exemptions.

(3) The Assistant Secretary shall approve any application that complies with the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, except that in determining whether an application complies with the requirements of subsection (a)(8) of this section, the Assistant Secretary shall provide maximum flexibility to an applicant that seeks to take into account subsistence needs, local customs, and other characteristics that are appropriate to the unique cultural, regional, and geographic needs of the Indian populations to be served.

(4) In determining whether an application complies with the requirements of subsection (a)(12)¹ of this section, the Assistant Secretary shall require only that an applicant provide an appropriate narrative description of the geographic area to be served and an assurance that procedures will be adopted to ensure against duplicate services being provided to the same recipients.

(d) Disapproval by Assistant Secretary

Whenever the Assistant Secretary determines not to approve an application submitted under subsection (a) of this section the Assistant Secretary shall—

(1) state objections in writing to the tribal organization within 60 days after such decision;

(2) provide to the extent practicable technical assistance to the tribal organization to overcome such stated objections; and

(3) provide the tribal organization with a hearing, under such rules and regulations as the Assistant Secretary may prescribe.

(e) Funds per year

Whenever the Assistant Secretary approves an application of a tribal organization under this part, funds shall be awarded for not less than 12 months.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §614, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 960; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title I, §102(b)(4), title VI, §601, title IX, §904(a)(23), Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1201, 1269, 1309; Pub. L. 103-171, §§2(21), 3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1989, 1990; Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, §602, title VIII, §801(d), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2287, 2292.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

Subsection (a)(12) of this section, referred to in subsec. (c)(4), was redesignated subsec. (a)(11) of this sec-

¹ See References in Text note below.

tion by Pub. L. 106-501, title VIII, §801(d)(2), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2292.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057e, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §606, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1551; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §3(d), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1597, related to surplus educational facilities, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057f of this title.

AMENDMENTS

2000—Subsec. (a)(9) to (12). Pub. L. 106-501, §801(d), redesignated pars. (10) to (12) as (9) to (11), respectively, and struck out former par. (9) which read as follows: “contain assurances that the provisions of sections 3027(a)(14)(A)(i) and (iii), 3027(a)(14)(B), and 3027(a)(14)(C) of this title will be complied with whenever the application contains provisions for the acquisition, alteration, or renovation of facilities to serve as multipurpose senior centers.”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 106-501, §602(1), substituted “approval” for “certification”.

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 106-501, §602(2), designated existing provisions as par. (1) and added pars. (2) to (4).

1993—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner” wherever appearing in introductory provisions and in par. (3).

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 103-171, §2(21), substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commission”.

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 103-171, §§2(21), 3(a)(13), in introductory provisions, substituted “Assistant Secretary determines” for “Commissioner determines” and “Assistant Secretary shall” for “Commissioner shall” and, in par. (3), substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

1992—Subsec. (a)(1). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(23)(C), inserted “individuals who are” after “older”.

Subsec. (a)(6). Pub. L. 102-375, §§102(b)(4), 904(a)(23)(C), substituted “information and assistance” for “information and referral” and inserted “individuals who are” after “older”.

Subsec. (a)(7). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(23)(A), substituted “older individuals who are Indians” for “Indians aged 60 and older”.

Subsec. (a)(8). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(23)(B), (C), inserted “individuals who are” after “older” in two places and substituted “paragraph” for “clause”.

Subsec. (a)(10). Pub. L. 102-375, §904(a)(23)(C), inserted “individuals who are” after “older”.

Subsec. (a)(12). Pub. L. 102-375, §601, added par. (12).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1992 AMENDMENT

Amendment by section 601 of Pub. L. 102-375 inapplicable to fiscal year 1992, see section 905(b)(5) of Pub. L. 102-375, set out as a note under section 3001 of this title.

§ 3057e-1. Distribution of funds among tribal organizations

(a) Maintenance of 1991 amounts

Subject to the availability of appropriations to carry out this part, the amount of the grant (if any) made under this part to a tribal organization for fiscal year 1992 and for each subsequent fiscal year shall be not less than the amount of the grant made under this part to the tribal organization for fiscal year 1991.

(b) Use of additional amounts appropriated

If the funds appropriated to carry out this part in a fiscal year subsequent to fiscal year 1991 exceed the funds appropriated to carry out this part in fiscal year 1991, then the amount of the

grant (if any) made under this part to a tribal organization for the subsequent fiscal year shall be—

(1) increased by such amount as the Assistant Secretary considers to be appropriate, in addition to the amount of any increase required by subsection (a) of this section, so that the grant equals or more closely approaches the amount of the grant made under this part to the tribal organization for fiscal year 1980; or

(2) an amount the Assistant Secretary considers to be sufficient if the tribal organization did not receive a grant under this part for either fiscal year 1980 or fiscal year 1991.

(c) Clarification

(1) Definition

In this subsection, the term “covered year” means fiscal year 2006 or a subsequent fiscal year.

(2) Consortia of tribal organizations

If a tribal organization received a grant under this part for fiscal year 1991 as part of a consortium, the Assistant Secretary shall consider the tribal organization to have received a grant under this part for fiscal year 1991 for purposes of subsections (a) and (b), and shall apply the provisions of subsections (a) and (b)(1) (under the conditions described in subsection (b)) to the tribal organization for each covered year for which the tribal organization submits an application under this part, even if the tribal organization submits—

(A) a separate application from the remaining members of the consortium; or

(B) an application as 1 of the remaining members of the consortium.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §614A, as added Pub. L. 102-375, title VI, §602, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1270; amended Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990; Pub. L. 109-365, title VI, §601(a), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2590.)

AMENDMENTS

2006—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 109-365 added subsec. (c).

1993—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner” in pars. (1) and (2).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2006 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 109-365, title VI, §601(b), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2590, provided that: “The amendment made by subsection (a) [amending this section] shall apply to grants awarded under part A of title VI of the Older Americans Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3057b et seq.) during the grant period beginning April 1, 2008, and all subsequent grant periods.”

§ 3057f. Surplus educational facilities

(a) Multipurpose senior centers

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary of the Interior through the Bureau of Indian Affairs shall make available surplus Indian educational facilities to tribal organizations, and nonprofit organizations with tribal approval, for use as multipurpose senior centers. Such centers may be altered so as to provide extended care facilities, community center facilities, nutrition services, child care services, and other supportive services.

(b) Applications; submission; contents

Each eligible tribal organization desiring to take advantage of such surplus facilities shall submit an application to the Secretary of the Interior at such time and in such manner, and containing or accompanied by such information, as the Secretary of the Interior determines to be necessary to carry out the provisions of this section.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §615, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 961.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057f, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §607, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1551, related to payments, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057m of this title.

PART B—NATIVE HAWAIIAN PROGRAM**§ 3057g. Findings**

The Congress finds the older Native Hawaiians—

- (1) have a life expectancy 10 years less than any other ethnic group in the State of Hawaii;
- (2) rank lowest on 9 of 11 standard health indices¹ for all ethnic groups in Hawaii;
- (3) are often unaware of social services and do not know how to go about seeking such assistance; and
- (4) live in poverty at a rate of 34 percent.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §621, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 961.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3057g, Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §608, as added Pub. L. 95-478, title I, §106, Oct. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 1551; amended Pub. L. 97-115, §13(d), Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1608; Pub. L. 98-459, title VI, §603, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1788, authorized appropriations for grants for Indian tribes, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-175. See section 3057n of this title.

§ 3057h. Eligibility

A public or nonprofit private organization having the capacity to provide services under this part for Native Hawaiians is eligible for assistance under this part only if—

- (1) the organization will serve at least 50 individuals who have attained 60 years of age or older; and
- (2) the organization demonstrates the ability to deliver supportive services, including nutrition services.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §622, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 961.)

§ 3057i. Grants authorized

The Assistant Secretary may make grants to public and nonprofit private organizations to pay all of the costs for the delivery of supportive services and nutrition services to older Native Hawaiians.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §623, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 962;

amended Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990.)

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

§ 3057j. Application**(a) Approval criteria; provisions and assurances**

No grant may be made under this part unless the public or nonprofit private organization submits an application to the Assistant Secretary which meets such criteria as the Assistant Secretary may by regulation prescribe. Each such application shall—

(1) provide that the organization will evaluate the need for supportive and nutrition services among older Native Hawaiians to be represented by the organization;

(2) provide for the use of such methods of administration as are necessary for the proper and efficient administration of the program to be assisted;

(3) provide assurances that the organization will coordinate its activities with the State agency on aging and with the activities carried out under subchapter III of this chapter in the same geographical area;

(4) provide that the organization will make such reports in such form and containing such information as the Assistant Secretary may reasonably require, and comply with such requirements as the Assistant Secretary may impose to ensure the correctness of such reports;

(5) provide for periodic evaluation of activities and projects carried out under the application;

(6) establish objectives, consistent with the purpose of this subchapter, toward which activities described in the application will be directed, identify obstacles to the attainment of such objectives, and indicate the manner in which the organization proposes to overcome such obstacles;

(7) provide for establishing and maintaining information and assistance services to assure that older Native Hawaiians to be served by the assistance made available under this part will have reasonably convenient access to such services;

(8) provide a preference for Native Hawaiians 60 years of age and older for full or part-time staff positions wherever feasible;

(9) provide that any legal or ombudsman services made available to older Native Hawaiians represented by the nonprofit private organization will be substantially in compliance with the provisions of subchapter III of this chapter relating to the furnishing and similar services; and

(10) provide satisfactory assurances that the fiscal control and fund accounting procedures will be adopted as may be necessary to assure proper disbursement of, and accounting for, Federal funds paid under this part to the nonprofit private organization, including any funds paid by the organization to a recipient of a grant or contract.

¹ So in original. Probably should be “indices”.

(b) Approval by Assistant Secretary

The Assistant Secretary shall approve any application which complies with the provisions of subsection (a) of this section.

(c) Disapproval by Assistant Secretary

Whenever the Assistant Secretary determines not to approve an application submitted under subsection (a) of this section the Assistant Secretary shall—

(1) state objections in writing to the nonprofit private organization within 60 days after such decision;

(2) provide to the extent practicable technical assistance to the nonprofit private organization to overcome such stated objections; and

(3) provide the organization with a hearing under such rules and regulations as the Assistant Secretary may prescribe.

(d) Funds per year

Whenever the Assistant Secretary approves an application of a nonprofit private or public organization under this part funds shall be awarded for not less than 12 months.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 624, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, § 171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 962; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title I, § 102(b)(4), title VI, § 603, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1201, 1270; Pub. L. 103-171, § 3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990.)

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner” wherever appearing.

1992—Subsec. (a)(3). Pub. L. 102-375, § 603, inserted before semicolon at end “and with the activities carried out under subchapter III of this chapter in the same geographical area”.

Subsec. (a)(7). Pub. L. 102-375, § 102(b)(4), substituted “information and assistance” for “information and referral”.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1992 AMENDMENT

Amendment by section 603 of Pub. L. 102-375 inapplicable to fiscal year 1992, see section 905(b)(5) of Pub. L. 102-375, set out as a note under section 3001 of this title.

§ 3057j-1. Distribution of funds among organizations

Subject to the availability of appropriations to carry out this part, the amount of the grant (if any) made under this part to an organization for fiscal year 1992 and for each subsequent fiscal year shall be not less than the amount of the grant made under this part to the organization for fiscal year 1991.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 624A, as added Pub. L. 102-375, title VI, § 604, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1270.)

§ 3057k. “Native Hawaiian” defined

For the purpose of this part, the term “Native Hawaiian” means any individual any of whose ancestors were natives of the area which consists of the Hawaiian Islands prior to 1778.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 625, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, § 171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 963.)

PART C—NATIVE AMERICAN CAREGIVER SUPPORT PROGRAM**PRIOR PROVISIONS**

A prior part C, consisting of sections 3057l to 3057n of this title, was redesignated part D of this subchapter.

§ 3057k-11. Program**(a) In general**

The Assistant Secretary shall carry out a program for making grants to tribal organizations with applications approved under parts A and B of this subchapter, to pay for the Federal share of carrying out tribal programs, to enable the tribal organizations to provide multifaceted systems of the support services described in section 3030s-1 of this title for caregivers described in section 3030s-1 of this title.

(b) Requirements

In providing services under subsection (a) of this section, a tribal organization shall meet the requirements specified for an area agency on aging and for a State in the provisions of subsections (c), (d), and (e) of section 3030s-1 of this title and of section 3030s-2 of this title. For purposes of this subsection, references in such provisions to a State program shall be considered to be references to a tribal program under this part.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 631, as added Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, § 604(3), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2288.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 631 of Pub. L. 89-73 was renumbered section 641 and is classified to section 3057l of this title.

PART D—GENERAL PROVISIONS**CODIFICATION**

Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, § 604(1), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2288, redesignated part C of this subchapter as part D.

§ 3057l. Administration

In establishing regulations for the purpose of part A of this subchapter the Assistant Secretary shall consult with the Secretary of the Interior.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 641, formerly § 631, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, § 171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 963; amended Pub. L. 103-171, § 3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990; renumbered § 641, Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, § 604(2), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2288.)

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

§ 3057m. Payments

Payments may be made under this subchapter (after necessary adjustments, in the case of grants, on account of previously made overpayments or underpayments) in advance or by way of reimbursement in such installments and on such conditions, as the Assistant Secretary may determine.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, § 642, formerly § 632, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, § 171, Nov. 29, 1987,

101 Stat. 963; amended Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990; renumbered §642, Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, §604(2), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2288.)

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

§ 3057n. Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subchapter—

(1) for parts A and B of this subchapter, such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007, and such sums as may be necessary for subsequent fiscal years; and

(2) for part C of this subchapter, \$6,500,000 for fiscal year 2007, \$6,800,000 for fiscal year 2008, \$7,200,000 for fiscal year 2009, \$7,500,000 for fiscal year 2010, and \$7,900,000 for fiscal year 2011.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VI, §643, formerly §633, as added Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §171, Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 963; amended Pub. L. 102-375, title VI, §605, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1270; renumbered §643 and amended Pub. L. 106-501, title VI, §603, 604(2), Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2288; Pub. L. 109-365, title VI, §602, Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2590.)

AMENDMENTS

2006—Par. (1). Pub. L. 109-365, §602(1), substituted “2007” for “2001”.

Par. (2). Pub. L. 109-365, §602(2), substituted “\$6,500,000 for fiscal year 2007, \$6,800,000 for fiscal year 2008, \$7,200,000 for fiscal year 2009, \$7,500,000 for fiscal year 2010, and \$7,900,000 for fiscal year 2011” for “\$5,000,000 for fiscal year 2001, and such sums as may be necessary for subsequent fiscal years”.

2000—Pub. L. 106-501, §603, amended section catchline and text generally, substituting provisions authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2001 and subsequent years for provisions authorizing appropriations for fiscal years 1992 through 1995.

1992—Pub. L. 102-375 amended section generally, substituting provisions authorizing appropriations of \$30,000,000 for fiscal year 1992 and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1993, 1994, and 1995, and designating 90 percent of such appropriations to carry out part A of this subchapter and 10 percent of such appropriations to carry out part B of this subchapter for provisions authorizing appropriations of \$13,400,000 for fiscal year 1988, \$16,265,000 for fiscal year 1989, \$19,133,000 for fiscal year 1990, and \$22,105,000 for fiscal year 1991, designating over 90 percent of such appropriations to carry out part A of this subchapter and less than 10 percent of such appropriations to carry out part B of this subchapter, along with provisions providing a preference for funding of such part A if actual amounts of appropriations fall below 1987 levels and a preference for funding of such part B if the actual amounts of appropriations exceed 1987 levels.

SUBCHAPTER XI—ALLOTMENTS FOR VULNERABLE ELDER RIGHTS PROTECTION ACTIVITIES

PART A—STATE PROVISIONS

SUBPART I—GENERAL STATE PROVISIONS

§ 3058. Establishment

The Assistant Secretary, acting through the Administration, shall establish and carry out a program for making allotments to States to pay

for the cost of carrying out vulnerable elder rights protection activities.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VII, §701, as added Pub. L. 102-375, title VII, §701, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1271; amended Pub. L. 103-171, §3(a)(13), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1990.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3058, Pub. L. 89-73, title VII, §702, as added Pub. L. 98-459, title VII, §701, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1788, related to Congressional declaration of findings, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §181, title VII, §701(a), (b), Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 964, 983, effective Oct. 1, 1987, with certain exceptions.

A prior section 701 of title VII of Pub. L. 89-73, as added by Pub. L. 98-459, title VII, §701, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1788, provided that this subchapter be cited as the “Older Americans Personal Health Education and Training Act”, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §181, title VII, §701(a), (b), Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 964, 983, effective Oct. 1, 1987, with certain exceptions.

Another prior section 701 of Pub. L. 89-73 was classified to section 3045 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 95-478.

AMENDMENTS

1993—Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary” for “Commissioner”.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Subchapter inapplicable with respect to fiscal year 1993, see section 4(b) of Pub. L. 103-171, set out as an Effective Date of 1992 Amendment note under section 3001 of this title.

Subchapter inapplicable with respect to fiscal year 1992, see section 905(b)(6) of Pub. L. 102-375, set out as an Effective Date of 1992 Amendment note under section 3001 of this title.

§ 3058a. Authorization of appropriations

(a) Ombudsman program

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out subpart II of this part, such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007, and such sums as may be necessary for subsequent fiscal years.

(b) Prevention of elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out subpart III of this part, such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007, and such sums as may be necessary for subsequent fiscal years.

(c) Legal assistance development program

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out subpart IV of this part, such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007, and such sums as may be necessary for subsequent fiscal years.

(Pub. L. 89-73, title VII, §702, as added Pub. L. 102-375, title VII, §701, Sept. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 1271; amended Pub. L. 106-501, title VII, §701, Nov. 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 2289; Pub. L. 109-365, title VII, §701, Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2591.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3058a, Pub. L. 89-73, title VII, §703, as added Pub. L. 98-459, title VII, §701, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1789, related to statement of purposes, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 100-175, title I, §181, title VIII, §701(a), (b), Nov. 29, 1987, 101 Stat. 964, 983, effective Oct. 1, 1987, with certain exceptions.